

WATER TRANSFER WORKING GROUP PROJECT DESCRIPTION

APPLICATION NO./COURT CLAIM NO. S4-35262 (This is for a temporary Use)		
APPLICANT NAME Richard A. Baasch	CONTACT NAME Eric Hartwig, Ecology	TELEPHONE NO. (509) 454-7297
WATER RIGHT HOLDER'S NAME (if different)		EMAIL

DATE OF APPLICATION October 20, 2009	PRIORITY DATE October 20, 2009
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WATER SOURCE: Swauk Creek	CROP: N/A
TOTAL INSTANTANEOUS QUANTITY: 0.67 cfs (300 gpm)	TOTAL ANNUAL QUANTITY: Non Consumptive 36 ac-ft
PERIOD OF USE: April 1 – Nov 30 (2010 through 2014)	
PLACE OF USE: See Attachment 1	PURPOSE OF USE: Placer Mining (Mineral Estate Grantee- BLM Claim ORMC 156076)
IRRIGATION METHOD: N/A	

CONSUMPTIVE USE CALCULATION:

The project is designed that the water that is diverted will be pumped from Swauk Creek using a five horse power pump with a three inch outflow. The water is pumped approximately 300 feet. The return flow will be collected into a pond approximately 200 feet from Swauk Creek and will leach back into the alluvial soils returning to Swauk Creek.

NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT:

On October 20, 2009 Richard A. Baasch applied for a temporary appropriation of public water from Swauk Creek a tributary of the Yakima River. The water will be used for Placer Mining from April 1 through November 30 starting in April 1 2010 through November 30 2014. The mining operation will be mostly on weekends and holidays up to 80 days per year.

Attachment 1

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